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Local Items

Hirsch, of Sioux City, was here on business Tuesday.

Don't forget Breuns coffee, it is still in the lead. Van sells it.

Donald B. visited his brother, Will Best, at Ponca from Friday until Monday.

Mr and Mrs Guy Sides welcomed a baby girl to their home Thursday of last week. Miss Frae Entrakin of Sergeant Bluff, Ia, visited Sunday at the S A Stinson home.

The newest and best drug store in town is the Dakota City Pharmacy located in Stinson's store.

Mrs Will Powell has been confined to her bed the past week, being seriously ill with gall stones.

You can find a full line of paints, oils and brushes, always on hand, at the So Sioux Pharmacy.

County Attorney S T Frum and wife visited over Sunday at Danbury, Ia, with Mr Frum's mother.

Be a citizen of Dakota City and boost always for your own town by buying your drugs at the Dakota City Pharmacy.

There will be a special meeting of the Masonic lodge Saturday evening of this week for work in the 3rd degree.

Mrs Elsie Welch and two children were here from Hinton, Ia, where they conduct a restaurant, and spent the week visiting relatives.

To the Public—I have secured a temporary location in the S A Stinson store where I have put in a supply of drugs with which to take care of the prescription work until I can rebuild. All prescription work will be properly and carefully attended to in the mean time. D. M. Neiswanger.

Shriver Bros have moved that portion of their stock of hardware which was saved from the recent fire, from the rear of the R E Evans building where it was stored, to the brick store building where they have secured temporary quarters, and where they will be pleased to meet all their old customers and friends.

T D Rich and wife, of Wisner, spent several days here the past week visiting their children, Prof A B Rich and Mrs F L Graves. The principal object of their visit here was to meet their daughter, Mrs C H Patterson, who stopped off here while enroute from Page, Neb, to Crookston, Minn, where she and family are moving onto a farm.

Rev Geo B Warren, of Blair, Neb, had the following announcement in his church notes. His brother, W R Warren, was pastor here for two years: "Got a telegram that my mother in Canada had passed away. My brother, Rev W R Warren, of Greeley, Neb, and myself expect to be present at the funeral. Mother had arranged that her six sons should be the pall bearers. We expect to return March 14th.

Subscribers to the Herald living on the routes or at other postoffices should notify us by card when changing their address. People moving in should notify the postoffice the first thing in regard to their mail, and unless they give their mail is liable to be held at the office for several days, and may be returned to the sender if their return card should be printed or written thereon. Only take a one-cent card to give the proper notice.

A three-dollar paper and two other papers, all for \$2, is the offer of the Lincoln Daily News. That paper and the weekly Independent Farmer and monthly Poultry Topics, all three mailed from now until April 1, 1915, for \$2 just as a trial offer. They all stop when time is up. The News is a pioneer in independence and has no entangling alliances, either personal, private, corporate or party. It is frank, open and above board, does not print liquor or nasty medical advertisements, and does not knowingly admit fraudulent advertisements of any kind to its columns. It is a live wire proposition for Nebraskans, full of cartoons and illustrations, and with these two other papers sort of helps to bring down the high cost of living as far as newspapers are concerned. Send \$2 today to the Lincoln Daily News and all three papers will start at once.

Carl Fredericksen, who assumed the postmastership at Hubbard about four years ago, when Fred Shumacker defaulted leaving his bondsmen, Fredericksen was one, to pay a shortage of about \$1,000, has been missing since Monday, March 2nd, when he left for Sioux City, where he had arranged to go to work for Myers Bros, wholesale harness firm. Since then nothing has been heard of him. His two daughters, who were his assistants, continued to run the postoffice in his name. Monday of this week the bondsmen, fearing that everything was not as it should be, took charge of the office and deputized George Timin to look after the business until a U S inspector could come and untangle the affairs. It is believed that a shortage exists in the finances of the office, but how much is not yet known. He was bonded by a surety company of Omaha for \$1,500, and the surety company was protected by an indemnity bond signed by five residents of Hubbard precinct. It is rumored that a shortage of about \$1,100 exists in the office.

Pure apple cider at Van de Zedde's. Mrs G M Best, of Sioux City, was a Sunday visitor here.

Clyde Crego was down from Allen over Sunday visiting friends.

Frank F Haase was down from Emerson Thursday of last week on business.

John F Sides, deputy U S marshal, was in Omaha on official business Tuesday.

Emmett Hileman moved Saturday to the Henry W Lahrs home southwest of town.

Will Phillips leaves this week for Saco, Mont, where he has a claim to look after.

Aug Barg, who resided on Walker's Island the past year, has moved to a farm near Ponca.

F H Forrest and family autoed to Merville, Ia, Sunday and visited Mrs Forrest's parents.

Remember all packages delivered to the Dakota City car free of charge, by the So Sioux Pharmacy.

No bottle washers wanted at the Dakota City Pharmacy. Everything sterilized, new and clean.

Melford Lothrop, eldest son of M L Lothrop and wife, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Word received from John J Veitz and wife announces their safe arrival at their new home at Berlin, Conn.

Mrs J Crews went to Omaha Wednesday to visit relatives for a few weeks and take medical treatment.

Have your Doctor telephone your next prescription to the South Sioux Pharmacy. Expert work, perfect service.

P Stewart and Christine Gortz, both of Lincoln, Neb, were married by R V J Crews at the M E parsonage on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs J T Kilmartin and baby arrived here Sunday from Norfolk to spend week or so with Mr Kilmartin, solicitor for the Yeoman lodge.

Eric Annes is assisting Fred Duenning with the janitor work at the school house, Mr Duenning being kept at home part of the day by his wife's sickness.

A bulletin issued by the Nebraska state board of health gives the number births reported in Dakota county for 1913 as 122; deaths, 62; marriages, 205; divorces, 7.

Mrs Jas Fisher, of Sioux City, and Mrs Joe Goodert, of Manila, Ia, came Wednesday to see their mother, Mrs Fred Duenning, who has been seriously ill for some time.

Mrs C B Howard and sons Edgar and Thomas, leave the first of next week for Santa Rosa, Cal, on a visit at the home of Mrs Howard's daughter, Mrs Theo E Bliven.

Burd Bliven, an old Dakota county boy, now living at Powell, Wyo, was here the past week visiting relatives and old Dakota county friends. He departed for home Wednesday.

The sermon on "The Business Side of the Church" will be given by the pastor, R v S L Keller, at Salem and Emmanuel Lutheran churches Sunday the 15th inst. All urgently requested to be present.

The Kozy Studio now located at Fourth and Douglas streets. The biggest, best variety of small size photos in the city. Special—Postal cards and stamp photos. See us and save money. Kozy Studio.

About fifty gentlemen friends of Will H Berger assembled at his home Monday evening and helped him celebrate his 49th birthday. An elegant lunch was served the guests and a pleasant evening was spent in cards and games.

The patronal feast of the church at Jackson will be celebrated on Tuesday March 17, by solemn high mass at 10 a. m. A musical and literary program will be presented in the evening in the parish hall. An address by a well known speaker will also be given.

Washington land suitable for dairying, hog raising, poultry raising, fruit growing, market gardening, wheat raising, etc, near Spokane, Wash, for sale at very reasonable prices. Call at the office of Edwards & Bradford Lbr Co and get fine lithographed folder showing lands.

Word was received from Chas Hall and family of their safe arrival at their new location at Garvin, Minn. They made the trip by auto, leaving here the morning of the recent fire. They ran into a blizzard (a common thing in Minnesota) the day they left here and did not reach their destination as soon as they expected.

Sir Ernest Shackleton now contemplates a trip across the antarctic continent, with the south pole as a half way station. It is probably the most daring journey ever undertaken by man. On another page of this week's issue you will find a most interesting article describing this proposed expedition, and we feel so certain you will enjoy reading it we cannot refrain from calling it to your attention. It costs considerable to provide all the feature matter we offer from week to week, and we are extremely anxious to have our subscribers read the various articles provided for them. If you find something you enjoy, don't be afraid to say so. We will appreciate your commendation, and at the same time invite your criticism. It is by the expressions of our readers that we are best able to provide the class of reading matter desired.

The insurance adjusters were here last week and adjusted the losses on the Dakota City Pharmacy, the Schriever hardware store and the F A Wood law office. D M Neiswanger had \$2,500 on his stock and fixtures and \$1,000 on the building, all of which was lost. He received the full amount on the building, and nearly the full amount on stock, a deduction of a couple of hundred dollars being made for depreciation of stock, etc. The settlement with Schriever Bros was made on about the same basis—the full \$550 on the building and fixtures, the estimated loss and damage to stock, amounting to \$700 more. On the F A Wood building, \$300 and about \$500 on contents that could not be removed from the building. For the present the Dakota City Pharmacy will be located in the S A Stinson store. The Schriever Bros hardware store has been moved to the brick store building, and the Wood office to the room in the rear of the bank.

Water Bonds Carry—86 to 32

By a two thirds majority vote the people of Dakota City decided on Tuesday to install a system of waterworks in the town. A petition for an election to vote bonds in the sum of \$10,000 was filed with the board and an election set for March 10th to determine the question, and with twenty votes to spare the people decided in favor of the bond issue.

The town has always been without fire protection, depending on a bucket brigade getting out to combat the flames when called upon, and this system of fighting fires in this place had become rather monotonous and inadequate.

There was some opposition to the question of bonding the town, but we hope and trust that all will get together now and boost for the improvement, as they should if they have the interest of the town at heart.

Farmers Meet and Hear State Demonstrator

About one hundred of the prosperous farmers of Dakota county met at the court house in Dakota City Saturday afternoon and heard C W Fagley, of Lincoln, head of the farm demonstration movement of Nebraska, and A E Anderson, agent of the United States department of agriculture, talk on the advisability of organizing and securing the services of a demonstrator for this county.

Three of the western precincts of the county were not represented at the meeting, and as the amount of funds necessary to guarantee the hiring of a farm demonstrator for the county had not yet been subscribed, it was arranged to hold meetings in Pigeon Creek precinct and at Vista to put the proposition before the farmers in those localities, and the services of J F Coup, of Walthill, demonstrator for Thurston county, has been secured to hold meetings at Vista and Pigeon Creek on Friday of this week.

Another meeting of the organization will be held here on Saturday of this week, when it is hoped that a sufficient amount of funds will be guaranteed to meet the requirements of the department of agriculture, under the control of which these organizations are operated.

In counties where the movement has been tried out it has more than met the expectations of those interested.

How to Avoid Automobile Accidents.

To the Editor of the Herald:—

Permit me, please, to urge that you furnish "Rules of the Road" as appended hereto space in the Herald. They embrace knowledge with which it is essential every operator on the public roads must be familiar if he would avoid responsibility for accidents. They assuredly have the hearty endorsement of the Dakota County Automobile and Good Roads Club.

Thanking you for the courtesy of space as suggested, I remain, Very respectfully yours, F A Wood, Secy Dakota County Automobile and Good Roads Club.

RULES OF THE ROAD.

The following rules should be observed by every driver of car or vehicle. They have been approved by the American Automobile Association:

Vehicles shall keep to the right hand side of the road.

All vehicles overtaking others, shall, in passing, keep to the left of the center of the road and shall not pull over to the right of the road until entirely clear of the vehicle passed.

Vehicles meeting each other shall pass each other to the right of the center of the road.

All vehicles turning to the right into another road shall turn the corner as near the curb as practicable.

All vehicles turning to the left into another road shall pass to the right of and beyond the center of the intersecting road before turning.

All vehicles crossing from one side of the street to the other shall do so by turning to the left so as to go in the same direction as the traffic on each side of the street.

A group meeting of the Dakota county Sunday schools of the M E church was held in South Sioux City Wednesday.

Free to Farmers.

By special arrangement Ratoikin's big 1914 seed catalogue, with a sample of "Diamond Joe's Big White" seed corn that made 153 bushels per acre, will be mailed free to every reader of this paper who is interested in the crops they grow. This big book tells how to make the farm and garden pay. It's worth dollars to all who plant or sow. Write for it and mention this paper. The address is Ratoikin's Seed House, Shenandoah, Iowa.

Live and Learn.

One morning, at the breakfast table, Mr Francis heard one of the children blinding fault with something he was told to eat.

"Well, upon my word," said the father, "you children are getting too dainty for anything! So you think, Arthur, you should have jam and butter on the same piece of bread, do you? Well, when I was your age I was very glad to get dry bread to eat."

"You have a much better time living with us, don't you father?" queried little Arthur.—March Lippincott's.

DISTRICT COURT DATES

For the Eighth Judicial district of Nebraska, for the year 1914:

Cuming.....March 8, November 9
Stanton.....February 16, September 21
Stanley.....March 2, October 5
Ogden.....February 2, September 15
Dixon.....March 25, December 7
Thurston.....April 8, October 12

The first day of each term is set for hearings for applications for citizenship papers. Guy T Graves, Judge.

Farm Notes.

A farm hand's services for the coming season was the offering at an auction held at Boone, Ia, recently. A dispatch to the Omaha World-Herald tells about it. Vincent Mitchell, an experienced farm hand, had his services for the coming farm season auctioned to the highest bidder, he reserving the right to reject any and all bids. There was a good attendance at the auction and lively competition in bidding. The sale was made to John Canavan residing near Boone, his bid of \$35.50 per month and board being the highest.

A total change of feed and forage is the only effective method of controlling "blind staggers" in horses. Government experts have issued a bulletin declaring that there is a direct connection between the green forage, exposed pasturage and newly cut hay which the horses eat and this disease. A complete change of feed and forage is the treatment recommended. Moldy baled hay has caused the death of many horses. Many horses have been slain as the result of using fake cures advertised by unscrupulous persons.

It is reported that in Nebraska "black-leg vaccine" was used on 1,600 uninfected horses. Nearly 1,500 of these died as a direct result of this treatment.

AN EASY WAY TO SAVE

An investment that pays perhaps larger returns for the farmer than any other just now is the treatment of his oats, wheat, and other cereals for smut. In the aggregate, thousands of dollars might be saved annually in the state if the individual would spend a few cents and take the small amount of time required to make the treatment himself. Full information regarding such may be obtained from bulletin No 131 of the Bulletin department of the University Farm, Lincoln.

FREE BREEDERS' DIRECTORY

An attempt is being made to improve the dairy cattle of the state by the Nebraska College of Agriculture through the publication of a directory of dealers in pure bred and grade dairy cattle. Any person having such for sale may have his name inserted if he applies to the dairy department of the University Farm at once. As soon as the directory is published it may be obtained free by any prospective purchaser. The attempt is to encourage both the raising and the distribution of good dairy cows in Nebraska.

IMPASSABLE ROADS UNNECESSARY

Impassable mud roads, says the Nebraska College of Agriculture, are unnecessary. The use of the King road drag is advised when used at the proper time. There are no periods of the year when the drag does not benefit the road, but it does the most good when the soil is moist, yet not too sticky. The Nebraska soils, when mixed with water, thoroughly worked, and well baked with sunshine, become extremely hard and impervious to rain. The action in becoming hard and smooth not only helps to shed the water but also greatly retards the formation of dust. Complete information as to the construction and use of the drag may be obtained free by applying for Press bulletin No 33 of the Bulletin department, University Farm, Lincoln.

FARMERS ASSIST CHOLERA

The farmer himself is the largest single factor in the spread of hog cholera according to data collected from the four demonstration areas by the department of agriculture. The exchange of work is chiefly responsible for this, says an animal pathologist at the University Farm. Helping a neighbor haul exposed hogs and afterward using the same wagon to sluck corn is a fairly certain method of getting cholera. Visiting a sick herd for any reason whatever is a poor practice. The vendor of stock foods and powders seeks the sick herds and is likely to carry infection. Know positively where the family dog is at night. If loose, he may be miles away and bring home his load of germs. In the winter, crowns have a liking for feed lots and range a long distance. The old medical injunction to "clean out, clean up, and keep clean" should be applied to cholera outbreaks. Make a practice of burning at once every animal that dies on the farm. Serum is not the largest weapon in the fight against cholera.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that under and pursuant to an order of the district court of the county of Nebraska, issued on the 26th day of February, 1914, vesting in me the authority to close the affairs of the school district No. 25, of Dakota county, Nebraska, I will meet the creditors of said district at my office in the court house, at Dakota City, on Wednesday, March 25th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. for the purpose of adjusting claims against said district. MARGARET A. MURPHY, Co. Supt.

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